Since the net worth of the company became negative a reference had to be made to Board for Industrial and Financial Reconstruction (BIFR) under the Sick Industrial Companies (Special Provisions) Act, 1985. BIFR, asked the Govt. of India and Govt. of Andhra Pradesh to formulate a turn-around package in order to rehabilitate the Company. Accordingly, a package of measures was approved by Govt. in March 1994.

As part of that package, Govt. have allowed the company a one time ad hoc increase of Rs. 30/- per tonne in the selling price of coal w.e.f. 1-4-1994 over and above the price fixed in accordance with formula prescribed by Bureau of Industrial Costs & Prices.

**Production targets for C.C.L.**

5280. SHRI ISH DUTT YADAV :
CHAUDHARY HARMOHAN SINGH :

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state :

(a) the production targets which were fixed for Central Coalfields Ltd. during the last three years and the extent to which these targets have been achieved;

(b) the reasons for not achieving the fixed targets; and

(c) the remedial steps taken in this regard ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI AJIT KUMAR PANJA) : (a) Coal production targets and actual achievement of production for last three years is given below :

(in million tonnes)

| Year | Target | Production |
|---|---|---|
| 1991-92 | 31.00 | 31.21 |
| 1992-93 | 32.00 | 32.42 |
| 1993-94 | 33.50 | 33.51 |

(b) and (c) Does not arise.

**कच्चे कोयले की उत्पादन लागत में गिरावट**

5281. श्री गोपाल सिंह सोलंकी :
श्री मूलचन्द मीणा

क्या कोयला मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या पिछले तीन वर्षों के दौरान वास्तविक लागत की तुलना में कच्चे कोयले की उत्पादन लागत में गिरावट आई है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं; और

(ग) इस संबंध में सरकार द्वारा क्या कदम उठाए गए हैं ?

कोयला मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (श्री अजित कुमार पांजा) : (क) प्रचलित कीमतों पर कोयले के उत्पादन की लागत में काफी समय से विभिन्न आयतों की लागत में वृद्धि के कारण वृद्धि हुई है । किन्तु कोल इण्डिया लि. ने सूचित किया है कि 1989-90 तथा 1992-93 के बीच जबकि उत्पादन की लागत में 26.3% की वृद्धि हुई है, थोक बिक्री मूल्य सूचकांक बढ़कर